

REMARKS

Applicants wish to thank Examiner Mullis for the helpful and courteous discussion with Applicants' Representative on April 12, 2006. During this discussion it was noted that the materials claimed in Claims 2 and 3 are present in the composition of Claim 1 in addition to the materials claimed in Claim 1.

In addition, Applicants submit herewith a Certified English Translation of the priority document of the present invention, JP 2002-199846, filed July 9, 2002. Pending Claims 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, 9 and 18 are all supported by the English Translation of the priority document. Claim 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, and 9 are supported by the corresponding Claims of the English translation. Claim 18 is supported by Claim 3 of the English translation. Accordingly, Applicants have perfected their claim to priority and overcome WO 02/090433 which published on November 14, 2002.

This application presents allowable subject matter, and the Examiner is kindly requested to pass it to issue. Should the Examiner have any questions regarding the claims or otherwise wish to discuss this case, he is kindly invited to contact Applicants' below-signed representative, who would be happy to provide any assistance deemed necessary in speeding this application to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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